

**Request for One-Month Extension of Time to Respond:**

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed July 13, 2004, until and including **November 15, 2004**. November 13, 2004, is a Saturday, and November 14, 2004, is a Sunday. Applicants are enclosing a check including the amount of \$110 for the one-month extension fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1) (Fee Code 1251). In the event of any variance between this amount and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO), please charge or credit that variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 02-0375.